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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET. For Auditor General, William P. Snyder, of Chester. For State Treasurer: William L. Mathues, of Deleware. For Superior Court Judges: Thomas A. Morrison, of McKean. John J. Henderson, of Crawford. REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET. For District Attorney: WM. P. SHOEMAKER For Jury Commissioner:

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STALWART PARTY MEN

The Republican Nominees for State Treasurer and Auditor General.

TWO ORGANIZATION FAVORITES

Each Has Won the Esteem and Support of His Neighbors, and Both Are Enthusiastically Backed By Those Who Know Them Best.

[Special Correspondence.] Harrisburg, Sept. 22 .- In their candidates for state treasurer and auditor general the Republicans of Pennsylva-nia have standard bearers who have earned recognition from their state and

their party. William L. Mathues, the nominee for state treasurer, is one of the most ag-gressive, progressive and intelligent young Republicans in the party organi-



Candidate for State Treasurer. zation. He was born March 24, 1862, in Delaware county, Pa., and received his early education in the public schools and is a graduate of the public high school at Media, Pa. He studied law in the office of Hon. John M. Broomali, the Nestor of the Delaware county bar, and was admitted to practice it. No-

vember, 1884. A CANDIDATE STRONG AT HOME. Mr. Mathues has always taken an active interest in public affairs. He served in the capacity of deputy sheriff for two years from January, 1885, and for two years from January, 1885, and then became deputy prothonotary of Delaware county, which position he heid until 1892. In November, 1891, he was elected to the office of prothono-tary and elerk of the courts of Delaware discharge of his official duties, so much so that he was repeatedly urged to the butter and dairy men. Were in

Meanwhile a movement arted among Republicans of Bela



WILLIAM P. SNYDER, Candidate for Auditor General. His early education was received in the public schools, in the place of his the public schools, in the place of his birth, and farm work occupied his time, when not engaged in fortifying himself with intellectual training Later in life he attended the Miller' ville state normal school and Ursinus College, both well-known Pennsylvania institutions.

During the winter of '68 and '69 he taught school. After a course of study he was graduated as physician in March, 1875, from the medical depart-ment of the University of Pennsylva-nia. He returned to Chester county, Spring City, where he now resides, and began the practice of medicine, and continued as practitioner until 1886, when he accepted a position as medical examiner for the relief department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which position he held for nearly two years, from February, 1886. He served as postmaster of Spring City from October, 1883, until August, 1885. Senator Snyder has always taken a lively interest in politics, and has a hyper interest in pointics, and has been an active worker in all of the campaigns of his party. In 1887 he was nominated for prothonotary of his county and was elected by a large ma-jority, and served in that office until January, 1891. The year preceding his relinquishment of the office he was made chairman of the county Repub-lican committee. At the county pri-maries in the fall of 1890, while serving as prothonotary, he was nominated for member of the house and was for member of the house and was elected. He was a delegate from Ches-ter to the Republican state gubernato-rial convention in 1878 and to the state convention that nominated Gen-eral James A. Beaver for governor in 1882. In 1892 Mr. Snyder was elected to the senate. In the session of 1895 he was chairman of the committee on health sanitation, and in 1897 chair-man of the committee on railroads. In 1896 he was re-elected to the senate by nearly 8000 majority, having received nearly twice as many votes as his Democratic and Prohibition opponents combined.

filed the position with dignity, credit and acceptability, as he did in 1901. During the campaign of 1900 a deter-mined effort was made by the Demo-crats and Independents to defeat Mr. Snyder for election to a third term, but he won by a plurality of over 1700 WORKED FOR THE FARMERS. No more popular man sat in the chair of president pro tem. of the state senate, a fact which was attested by

his second election as presiding offi-cer, a distinction rarely accorded to a senator. At the session or 1903 he was chairman of the committee of appropria tions. During his legislative career Mr Enyder was conspicuous as a cham pion of the interests of the farmers of Pennsylvania. He was an ardent, consistent and determined advocate of legislation to protect the pure butter county and took the oath of office to that position in the following January. He gave eminent satisfaction in the continue in office, and in March last he received a unanimous nomination to succeed himself for a fifth term. not for the efforts of men like Senator Snyder, the farmers of Pennsylvania would today be at the mercy of the was pleomargarine trust.



At the opening of the session of 1899 he was elected president pro tem., and Wieland & Kessler, General Merchants, Buy

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tarted among Republicans of Delaware and neighboring counties in favor of his nomination for state treasurer. The suggestion of Mr. Mathues for this honor was very favorably received throughout the state, and in a short time he was admittedly the popular choice in the neity organization and $\frac{KEST}{6}$ $\frac{r}{4}$ $\frac{r}{2}$ $\frac{FAST}{1}$ choice in the party organization, and his nomination by the Republican state convention by a unanimous vote followed

Mr. Mathues is the acknowledged leader of the Republicans of Delaware county. He has labored intelligently and unceasingly in behalf of the Republican party and in the support of its principles, and to him must be given much of the credit for the harmonious conditions which exist among the Republicans of Delaware county. He has been chairman of the Delaware county executive committee for the last six years and has represented his party in numerous conventions.

He has a large personal acquaint-anceship in social and business circles, besides through his political affilia-tions. He is a member of the Sons of Veterans, Junior Order of the United American Mechanics, the orders of the Elks and the Eagles, the K. of M., the I. O. R. M. and other social and beneficial organizations.

SENATOR SNYDER'S CAREER.

William Preson Snyler, the nom-ince for auditor general, was born in East Vincent township, Chester coun-ty, Pa. October 7, 1851, which county he is now representing in the state senate for the third consecutive term.

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